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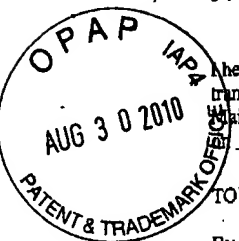
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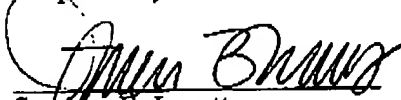
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Sir:

Applicants hereby withdraw small entity status in the above-referenced patent.

Accordingly, Large Entity Fees may be paid in this patent. Applicants hereby give notice that Proxim Corporation is not entitled to small entity status.

Respectfully submitted,


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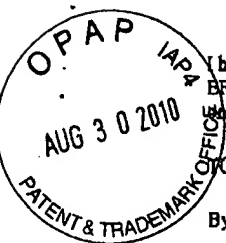
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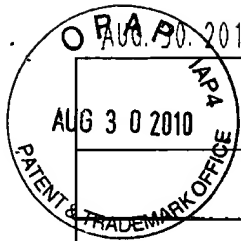
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